IDBI does not maintain district-wise details of the loan disbursed imder the above schemes.

(b) and (c) Such data is not maintained by IDBI.

(d) IDBI has reported that both the schemes viz., BRS and DDS are open ended schemes and would continue.

High prices ot printing papers

908. SHRI INDER KUMAR GUJRAL: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Publishers' Associations have represented to Government regarding the high prices of printing paper resulting in making book/periodicals expensive; and

(b) whether Government arc considering their request for redi: of import/excise duty on writing and printing papers ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI M.V. CHANDRASHERARA MURTHY): (a) and (b) The Government have received a representation from the Federation of Indian Publishers requesting for full exemption from excise and customs duties on paper used by the publishers. These will be exemined.

Complaints received by SEBI

909. SHRI S. MUTHU MANI: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) what is the total number of :omplaints received by the Securities tnd Exchange Board of India (SEBI) luring the year 1994 and till date ;

(b) how many complaints have >een forwarded to the concerned ompanies till today during the urrent year;

(c) how many complaints hav? been settled/solved by (he companies finally out of the complaints forwarded by the SEBI; and

(d) whether it is a fact that with^ reference to the complaints being forwarded by the SEBI, the concerned companies merely send a time seeking letter to the investors and even on the expiry of this time limit, the companies do not settle the claims of the investors and the investors have to approach the SEBI for relief?

THE MINISTER Of STA Ii. I THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI M.V. CHANDRASHEKARA MURTHY) : (a) The total numbei of complaints received by SEBI during the year 1994 from Ist January to 15th November and from August 1990 to 15th November, 1994 are 4,97,363 and 14,18,058 respectively.

I SEBI has forwarded 4,9, complaints to the concei iempanies during the current year from Ist January to 15th November, 1994.

(c) SEBI has indicated that 6,46,744 complaints have been settled* solved by the concerned com, out of the complaints forwarded bj SEBI during the period from August 1990 to 15th Nobvember, 1994.

(d) It is true that in iome cases companies have sent interim letter J to tlie complainants. The main objec tive of such letters is to obtain addi tional information, in order to cl the records and resolve the complaints

Assistance cancelled by World Bank

910. DR. MURLI MANOHAR JOSHI:
SHRI TRILOKI NATH CHATURVEDI:

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) the State-wise names ot projects whose loans/assistance has